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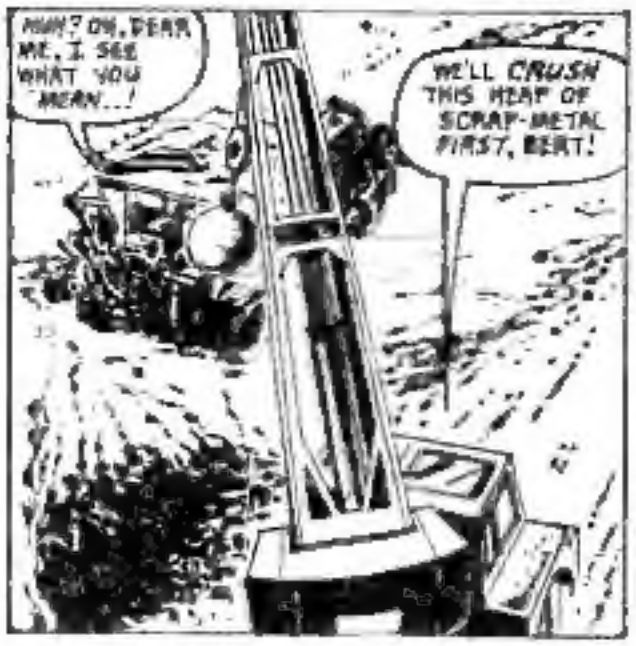

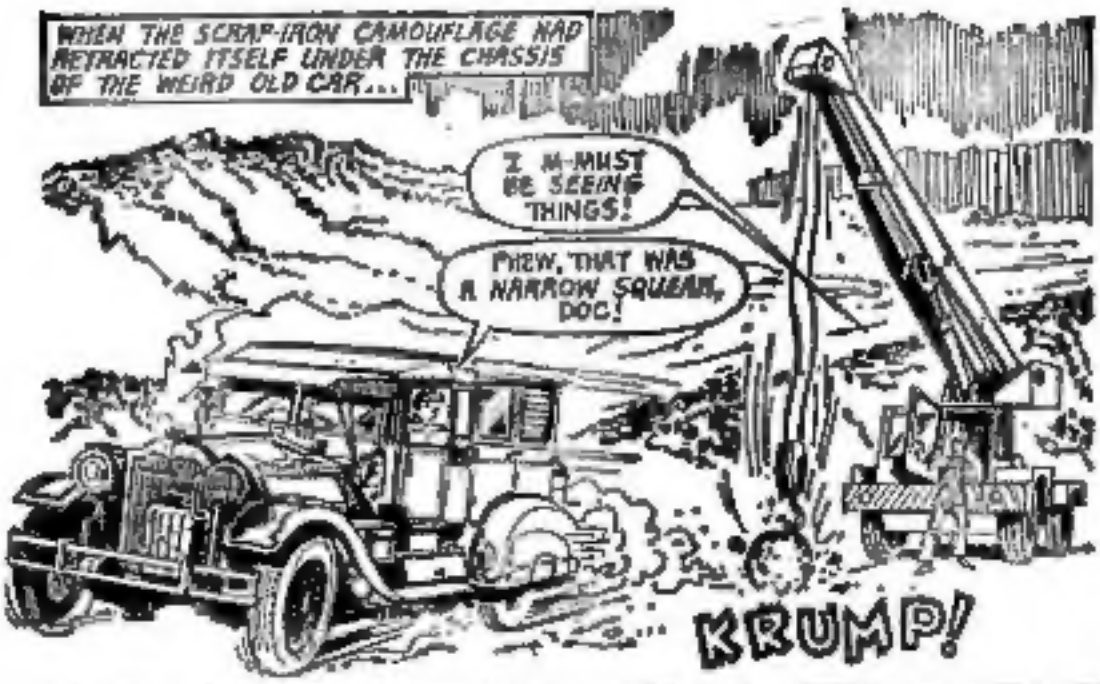

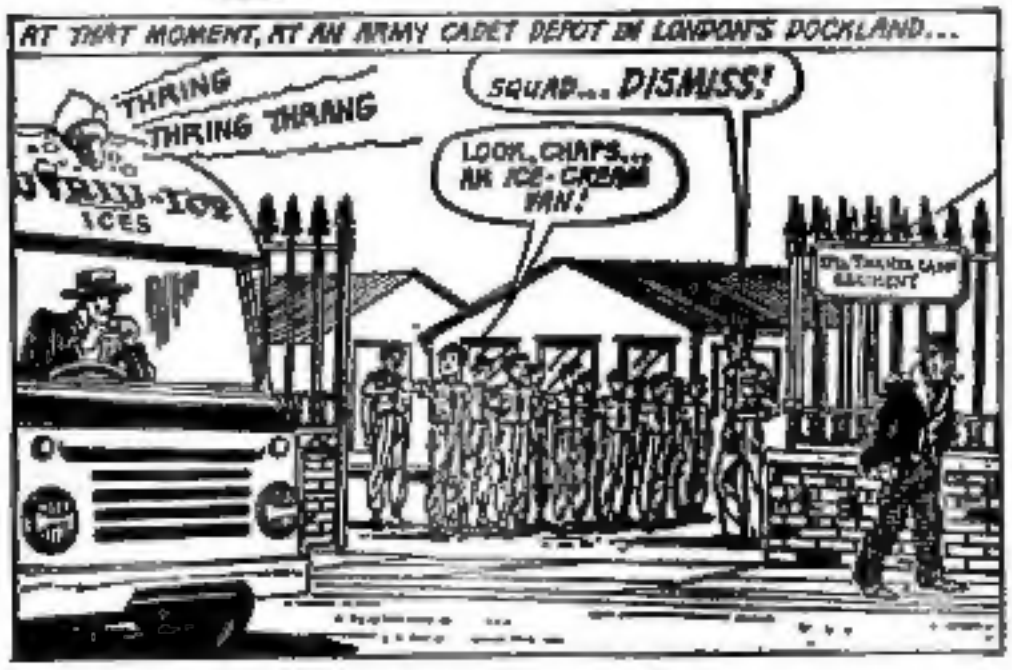

WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO CYRIL PIPER? FIND OUT IN NEXT WEEK'S THRILLING INSTALMENT!

AN IRATE GARDENER ISN'T AT ALL "SHEEP-ISH" ABOUT HIRING A SPOOK TO SCARE OFF FARM ANIMALS!

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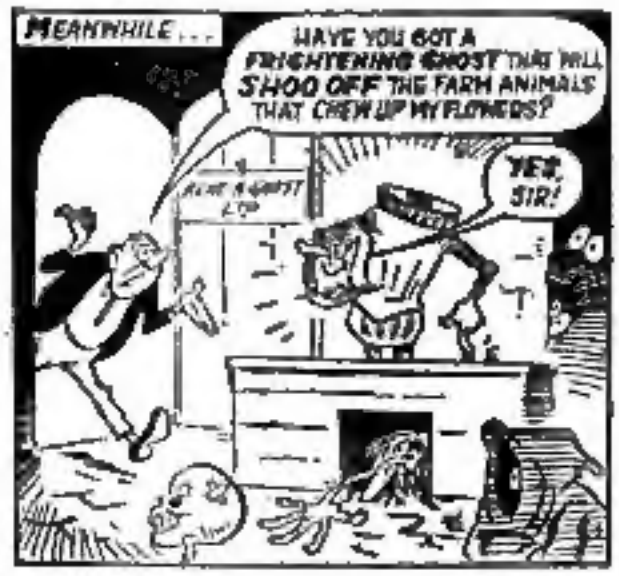

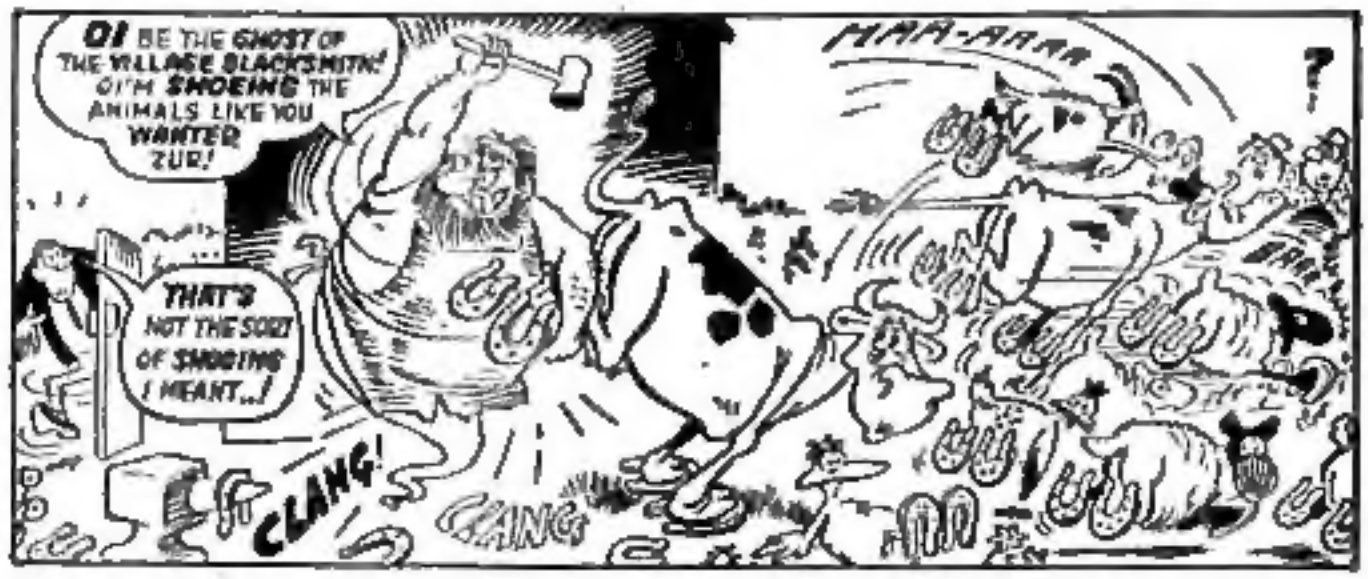

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NATHAN FOUND AN AMAZING WAY TO TEACH CYRIL THE WRESTLER'S ART!

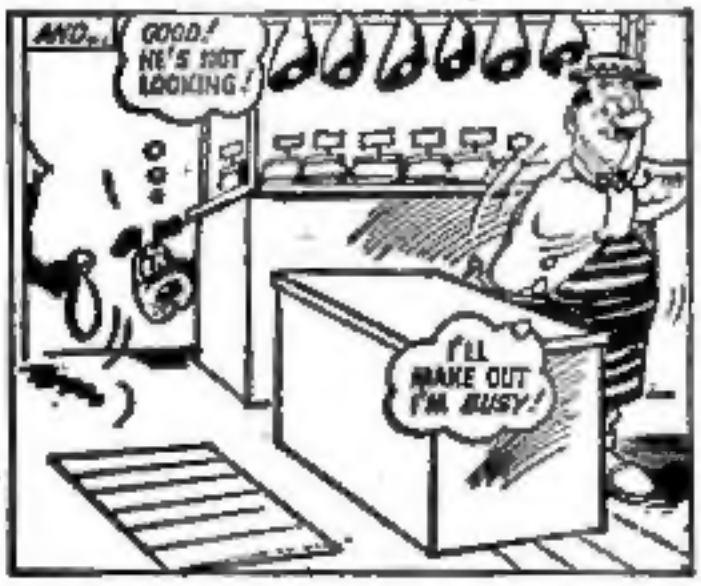
THE WIZARD OF FOOTBALL

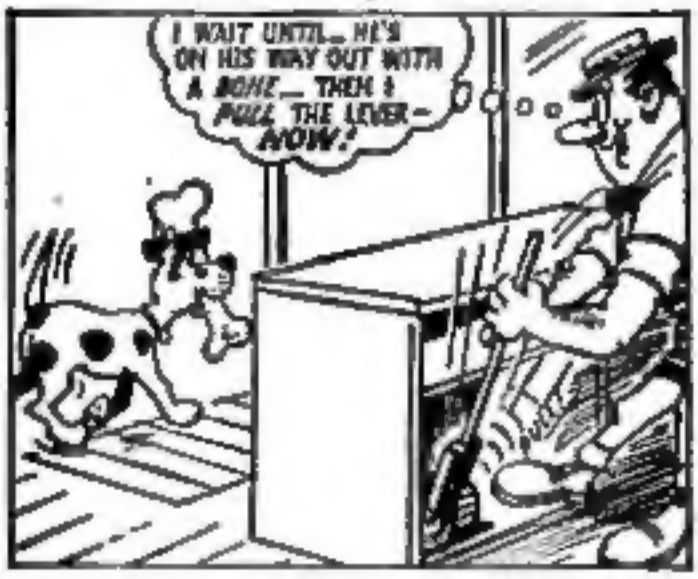
NATHAN SOUNDS CONFIDENT! BUT HOW WILL CYRIL FARE? SEE NEXT WEEK!

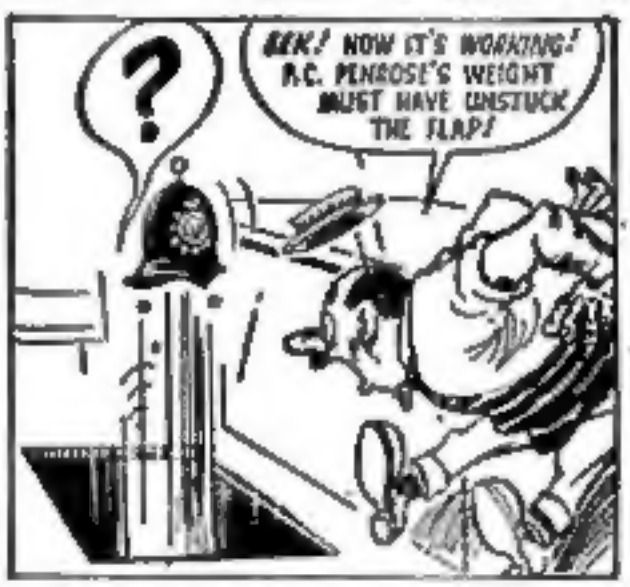
WHEN CHOPS'S TRAPDOOR TRICK FAILS, HE WISHES THE GROUND WOULD OPEN UP AND SWALLOW HIM!

MUTT 'n' CHOPS

The Hungry Hound and his Enemy the Butcher







MORE MEATY MERRIMENT WITH MUTT 'N' CHOPS, NEXT WEEK!

BUSTER'S BIRTHDAY CLUB

MY ADDRESS: Buster's Birthday Club, 1-2 Bear Alley, Farringdon Street, London, E.C.4 (Comp.)

HI, THERE!

TIME for another feast of fun introduced by your old banqueting buddy. Once again, this page is sure to "curry" away the honours as a meal of merriment, peppered with more than a pinch of saucy smiles. There are all "salts" of appetising amusements waiting for you, and you don't have to dress up like a dog's dinner to enjoy them . . . for even those who like to chop and change always make sure they chip in on their "flavour-ite" floor-show of fresh-ground guffaws.

Here's food for thought! If you come across any humour-hungry boys and girls out there in non-Buster Clubland, don't mince words with them, or let them stew in their own juice . . . tell them that they'll have cooked their own goose unless they immediately join in this weekly casserole of cackles that no one can beef about.

Another thing, before you take "custard-y" of this spicy sizzle-show that's on the boil, waiting for you to "liver" little by gorging yourselves on the grill of guffaws that are sure to send you "frying" high, I'd like you all to "waiter" minute while I serve you up some "re-veal-ing" news that nobody could scoff at.

Each week there's a chance for all you waffling wags to "steak" your claims to ten shillings or a super prize by sending in either a letter which spills the beans about funny or interesting incidents at home or at school, or a riddle or "daffynition"—I know you're sprouting these sort of things all the time . . . so I'm sure your efforts will be "pea-sing" to the ear end beyond "re-poach"!

Your pie-eyed pal,

Buster.

More merry members

Meet Southport member, Keith Gibson. Keith enjoys cycling, fishing and stamp collecting. He also likes drawing and reading.

Horse-riding and swimming feature among the pastimes of Mandy Brewster from Chatham. Mandy says she also likes writing stories.

Introducing Jonathon Pearson, a cheery chum hailing from Bristol. 11-year-old Jonathon enjoys making model aeroplanes and swimming.

From you to me . . .

RUSSELL HARRIS from Newport, Monmouthshire, has written in to tell us about an interesting and amusing thing that happened a little while ago in his home.

Russell and the rest of his family were watching the television, when their pet cat came into the room and jumped on top of a table. The cat stayed there for some time, glancing curiously at the television screen, then, all of a sudden, it leapt down from the table, stalked over to the set and almost pounced on it.

The reason was that on the TV there was a shot of a magpie in a cage . . . and that sent the cat on the hunt!

HERE'S another funny little snippet sent in by reader Paul Stephenson who lives in Exeter. Paul and his mother and brother were eating lunch one day and chatting to each other.

Casually, Mrs. Stephenson asked Paul's brother if he knew what the time was. Unfortunately, Paul's brother was holding a glass of water in his left hand—and he was wearing his watch on his left wrist as well. So when he turned his wrist round to see what the time was, he spilt the glass of water all over his lap! Needless to say this caused considerable amusement among the rest of the family!

Birth Date Prizes

4th April, 1958	23rd October, 1961
15th June, 1959	17th November, 1962
26th February, 1960	10th August, 1963

WHEN is a birthday not a birthday? When you're playing the Birth Date Game in Buster, of course! Yes, if the exact day, month and year of your birth is in this week's list of dates and if you sent in to join the Club before **Monday, 20th July**, you can pick any one of these awards: **Writing Folder, Fountain Pen, Box of Water Colour Paints, Jigsaw Puzzle, Box of Embroidered Hankies, Wallet of Coloured Pencils.**

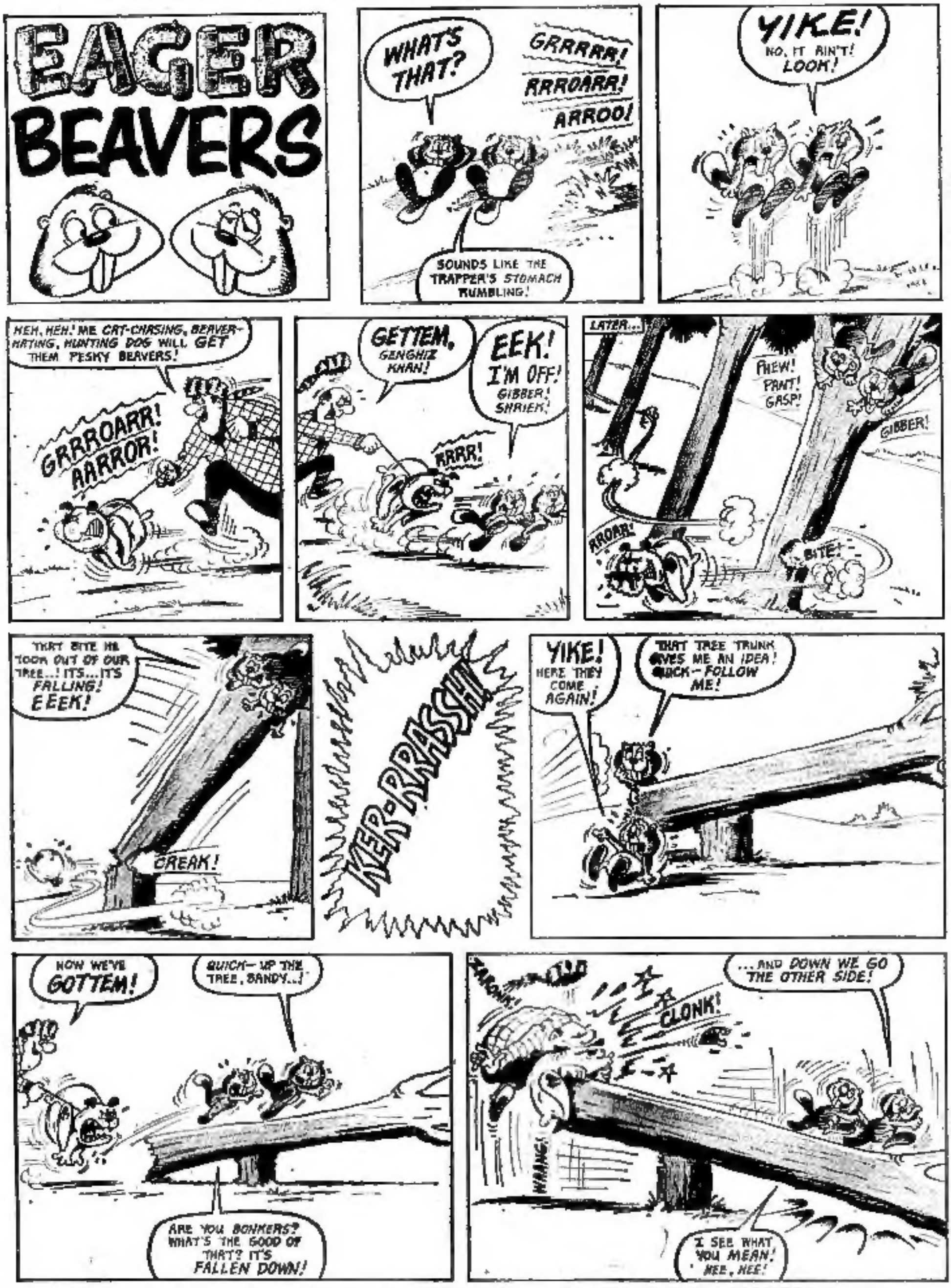
To claim your prize, just write your choice on a postcard, together with your full name, address and date of birth. Print "BIRTH DATE GAME" in the top left-hand corner (on the address side) and post to reach the Club not later than Thursday, 6th August. Overseas members have until 17th December to reply.

WINNERS!

THESE 50 winners of our "RHYMING PAIRS" competition will each receive a super jigsaw Puzzle:

Keith Abbott, Boston; Huw Adams, Ammanford; James Banks, Wirral; Ian Bicker, Maidstone; Lorraine Brown, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; Sandra Brown, Hebburn; Janice Burton, Maidstone; Christopher Chubb, Canterbury; Stephen Clayton, Manchester; Paul Cook, Preston; Ruth Devlin, Kirkcaldy; Martyn Dineley, Wirral; Noel Doggett, Dunstable; Mark Downing, Felixstowe; Brian Ellis, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; Maria Fairman, Romford; Paul Freathy, Deal; Gary Hammond, Guildford; Paul Harper, Banbury; James Harvey, Seaton; Janice Homer, London, N.2; Kevin Howland, Leeds; Richard Keeble, Spalding; Karen Kinsey, Loughborough; Alistair Knox-Crawford, Crawley; N. Limm, Taunton; Amanda MacGregor, Crawley; Denis Murray, Liverpool; John Murphy, Luton; Colin Owen, Warley; John Pearce, Colchester; Susan Pearce, Maidstone; Kathrynn Pickup, Blackburn; Ian Print, Birmingham; Steven Ramsey, Bradford; Cheryl Richardson, Teddington; Edward Rose, Cheltenham; Jane Ryan, Merthyr Tydfil; Christine Smith, Keswick; Robert Stenning-West, Caversfield; Philip Tagg, Hemel Hempstead; Graham Tilley, Liverpool; Michael Wynne, Chesterfield; Alison Wells, Bournemouth; Julian White, Windsor; Elizabeth Whitelock, Tynemouth; Gordon Wilson, Glasgow; Susan Wilton, Walsall; Andrew Wyllie, Peterborough; Stephen Yates, Darwen.

THE BEAVERS ARE REALLY HOUNDED THIS WEEK—BY A FIERCE DOG!



MORE UP-COUNTRY CHUCKLES NEXT WEEK, CHUMS!

'DRAGON" AND ALIEN—THE TWO UNEARTHLY CREATURES WERE LOCKED IN MORTAL COMBAT!

GALAXUS

THE THING FROM OUTER SPACE

A space creature known as Galaxus had been marooned on Earth, and, although harmless, he was being hunted throughout the world. With his only friends—Jim and Danny Jones—Galaxus was captured by a weird Burmese priest known as Chang the Dragon-Master. Whilst in a trance Galaxus was supposed to play a mysterious fire-dragon. Jim and Danny thought that this was superstitious nonsense—but, when they reached a secret cave in the mountains, they found, to their amazement

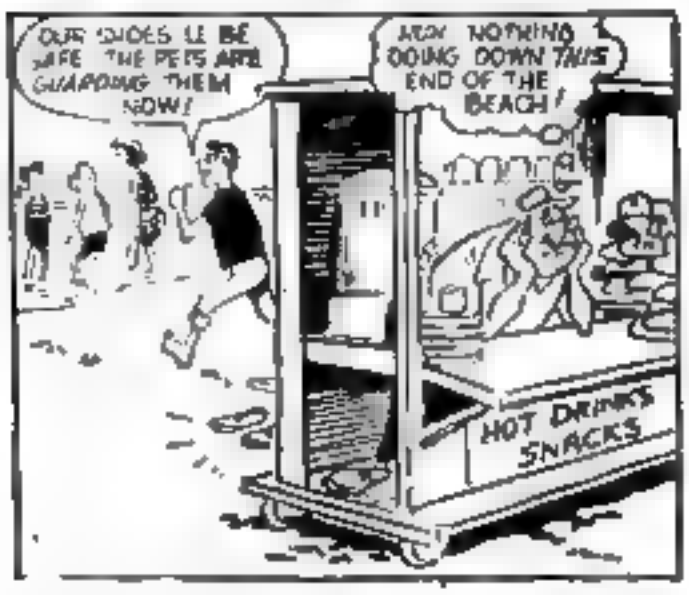
CONTINUED OVERLEAF.

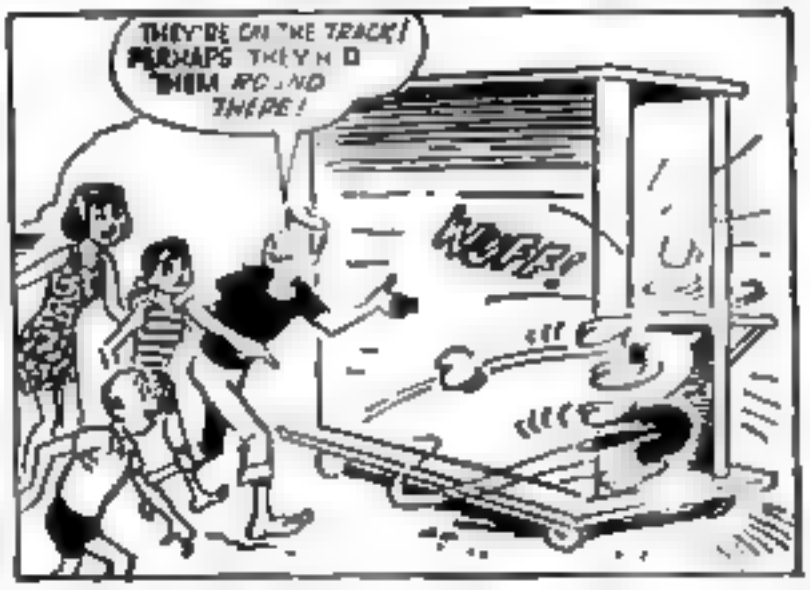
SOMETHING IN CHANG'S MANNER AROUSED JIM JONES'S SUSPICIONS!

WHAT DOES CHANG MEAN BY THIS? SEE THE NEXT GRIPPING INSTALMENT!

THE PETS ARE HARDLY BATHED IN GLORY WHEN THE HAPPYS GO PADDLING IN THE SEA!

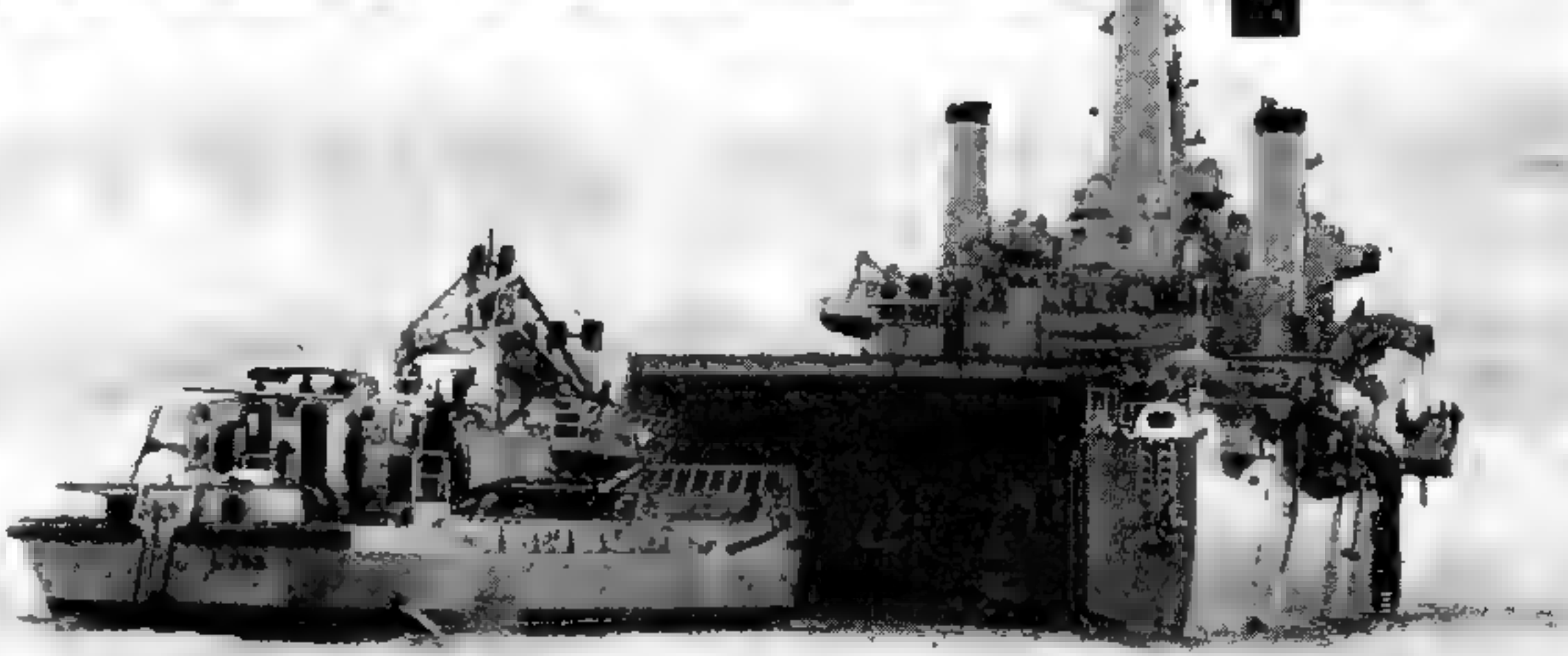
HAPPY FAMILY





THERE'S NO STOPPING THE SMILES IN NEXT WEEK'S LEAKY BOAT TALE!

BattleShip.



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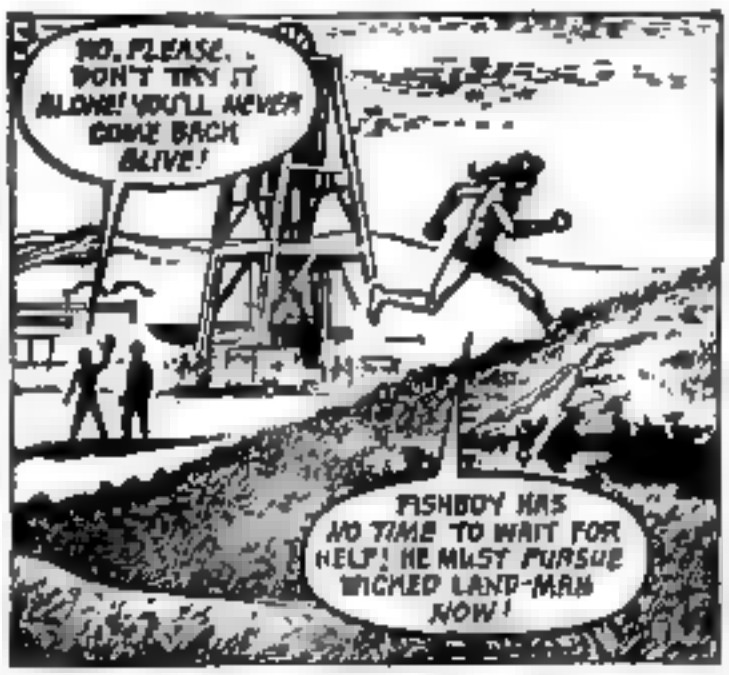
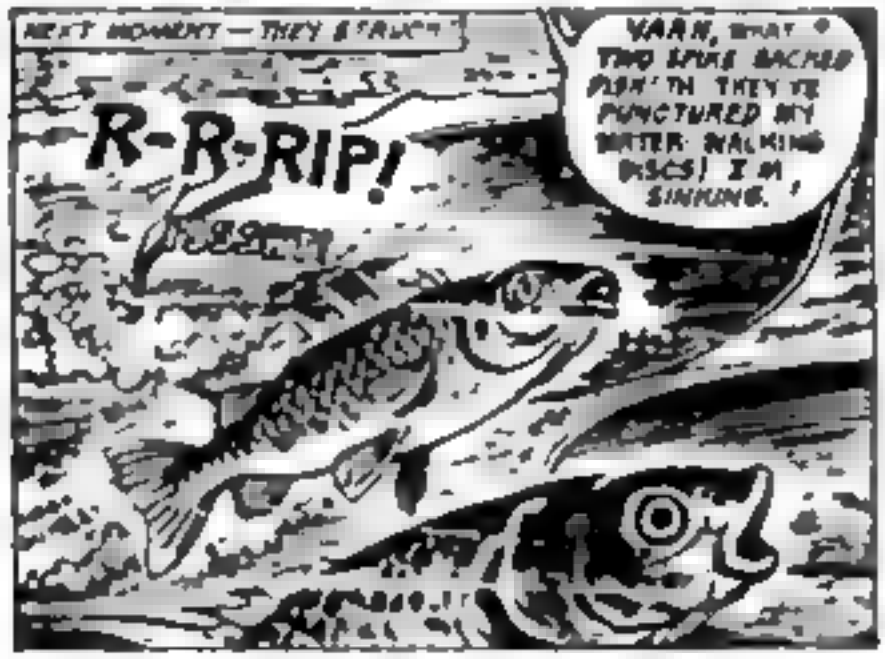
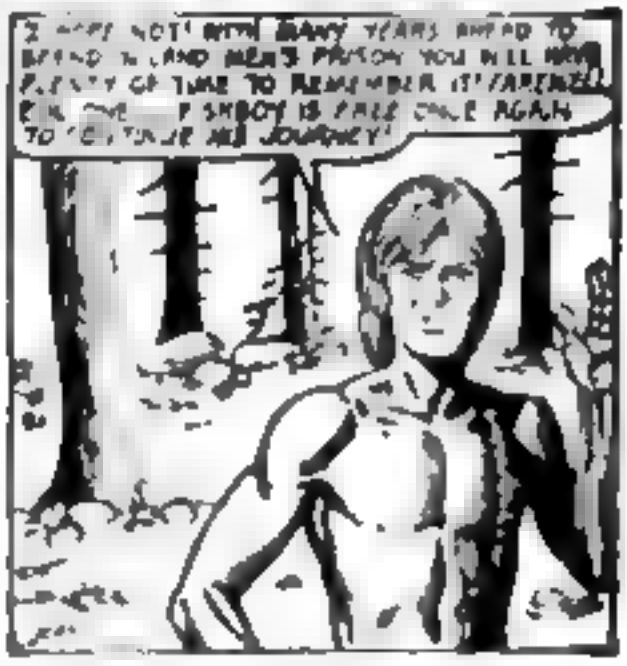
RUM-JUNGLE JONES SPED ACROSS THE LAKE — WITH THE SEA-LAD IN HOT PURSUIT!

FISHBOY
Denizen of the Deep

Stranded on a desert island as a child, Fishboy developed slightly webbed hands and feet and learned to breathe underwater. Discovering that his parents were in Australia, he set off to find them, and then became involved with a weird hermit called Rum-Jungle Jones . . .







YOU CAN BE SURE THAT MORE ADVENTURES LIE AHEAD FOR FISHBOY—STARTING NEXT WEEK!

DAD'S FORTUNES CHANGE – AND HOW! – WHEN HE FINDS A BURIED TREASURE MAP!

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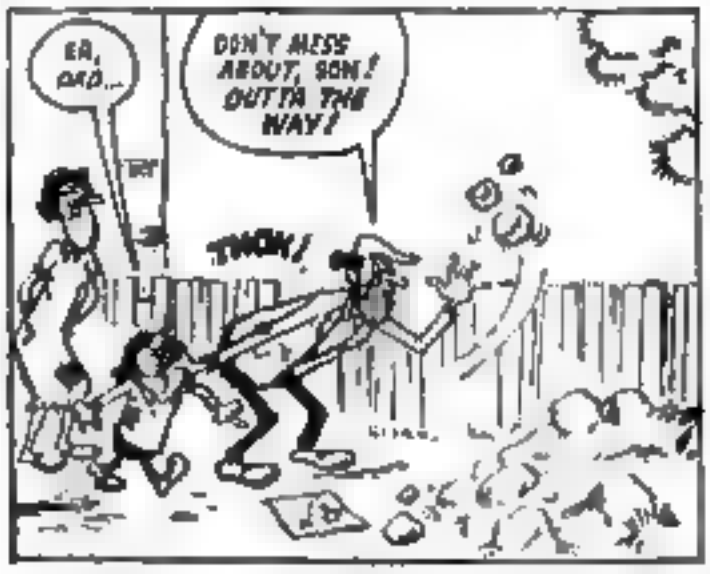

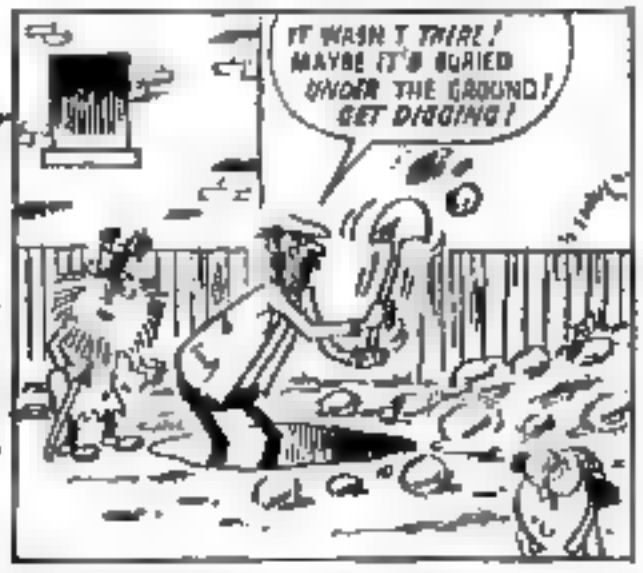

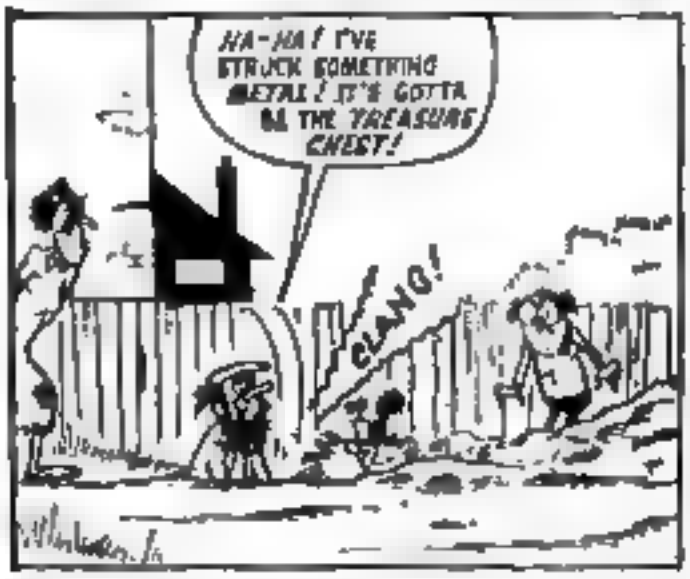

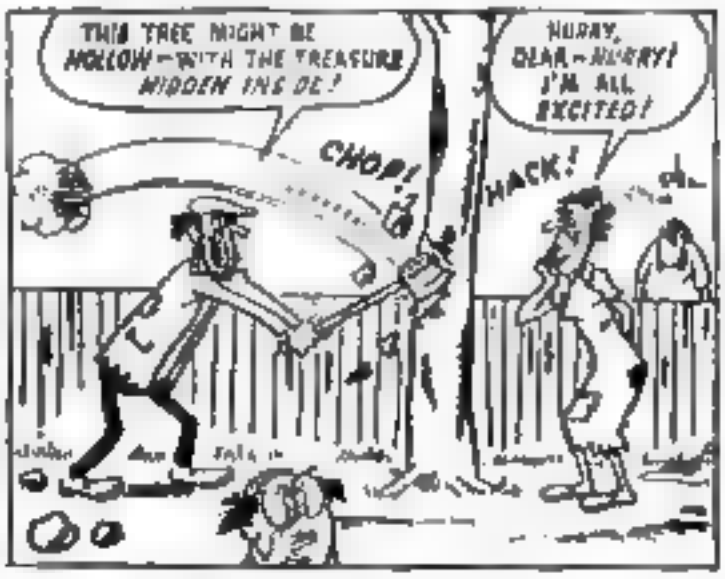

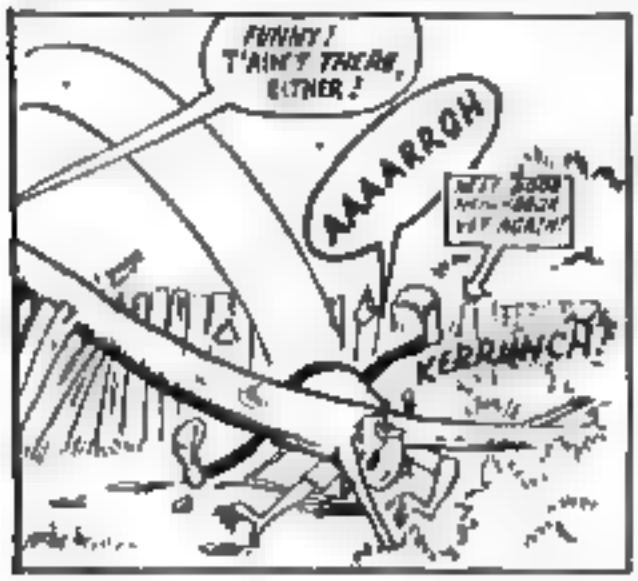

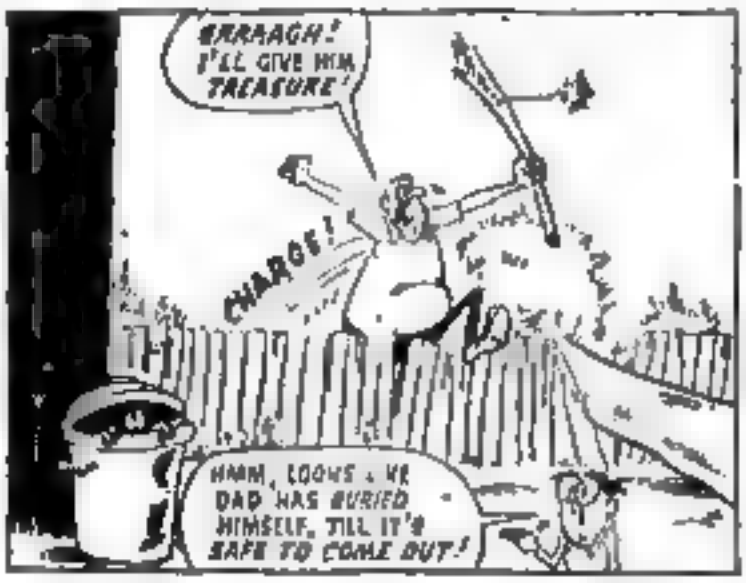

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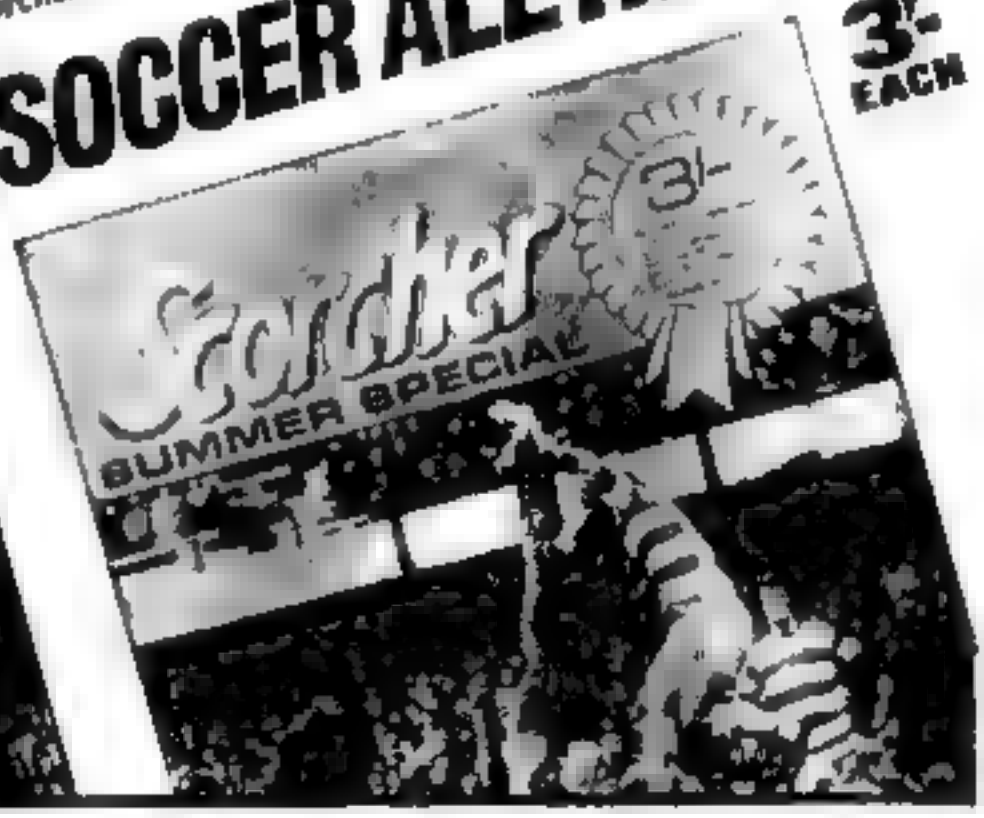

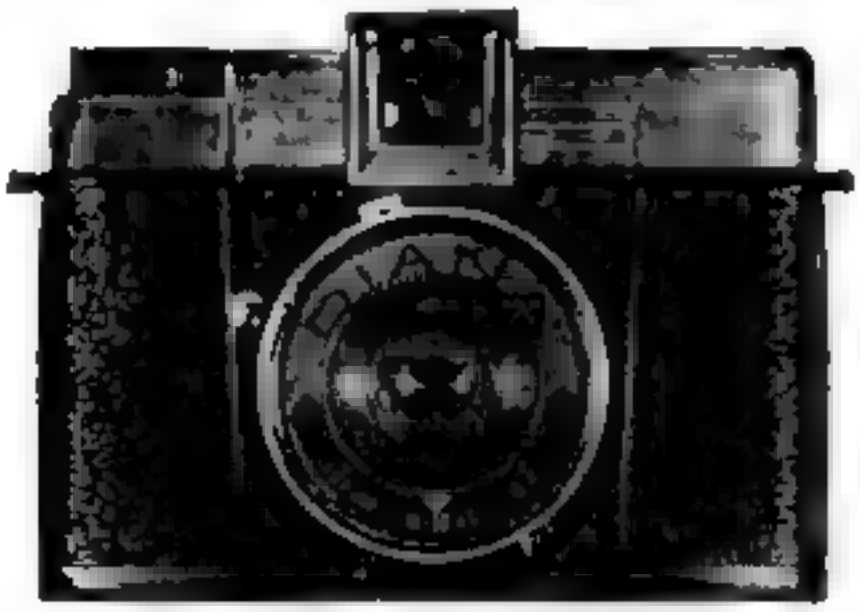

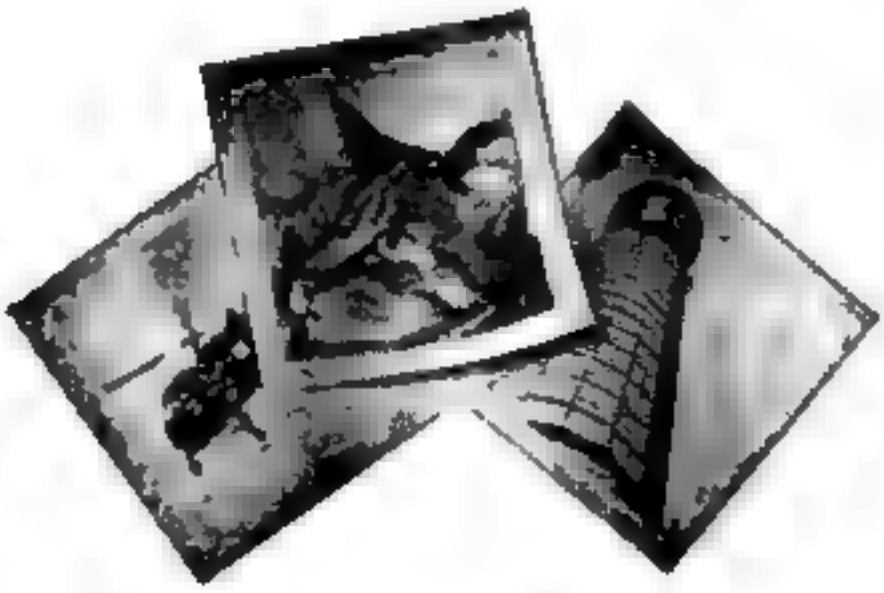

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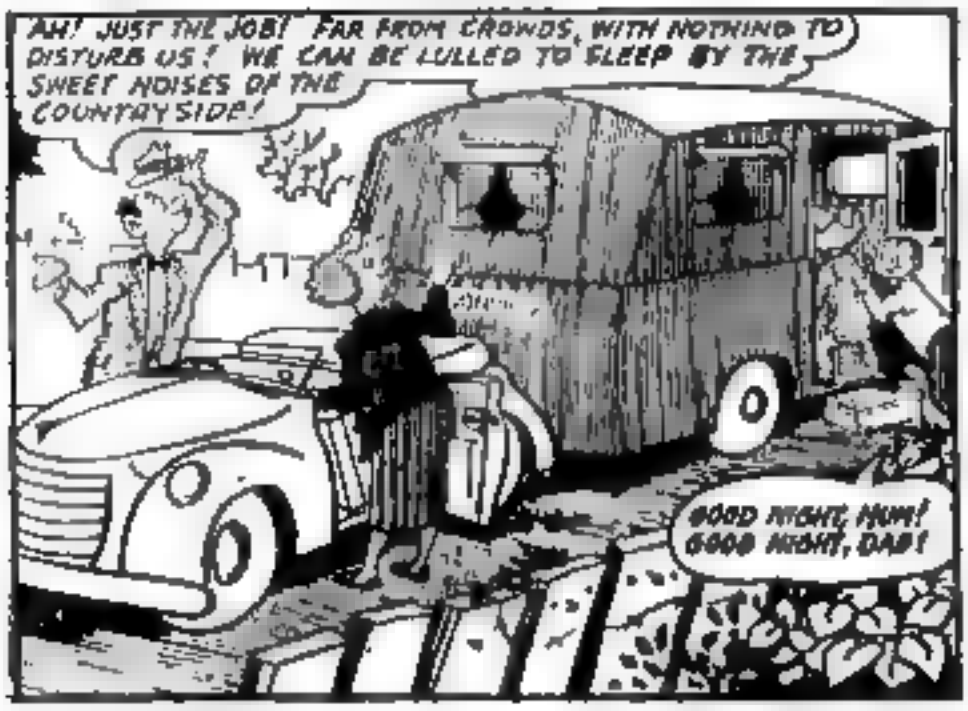
SMILER AND CO. HEAD FOR THE COAST—BUT WILL THEY EVER GET THERE?



LOTS MORE CHUCKLES WITH SMILER AND DIMPS NEXT WEEK, CHUMS!

CLEVER DICK'S REALLY PUT OUT WHEN HE INVENTS A FIRE ENGINE, THIS WEEK!

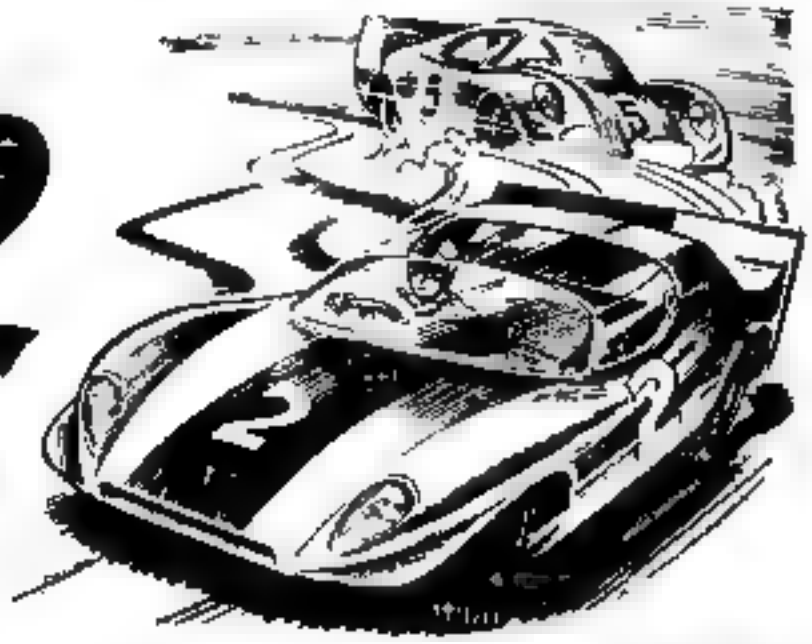
Clever Dick

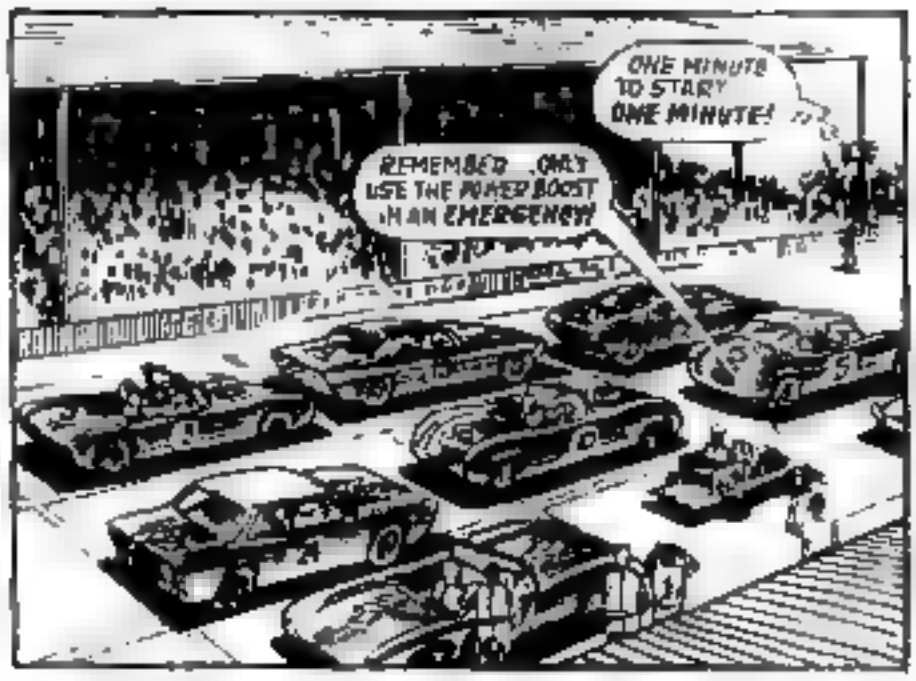
DICK RETURNS WITH MORE GIMMICKY GADGETS IN THE NEXT ISSUE, PALS!

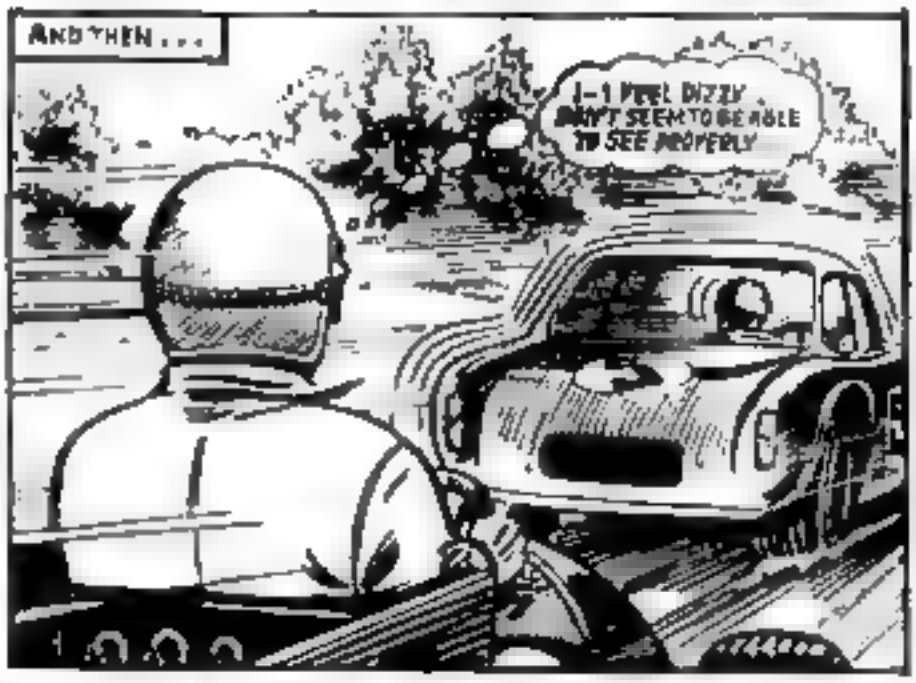
THE MAN ROARED WITH RAGE — AND POINTED A SHOTGUN AT THE SKIDS!

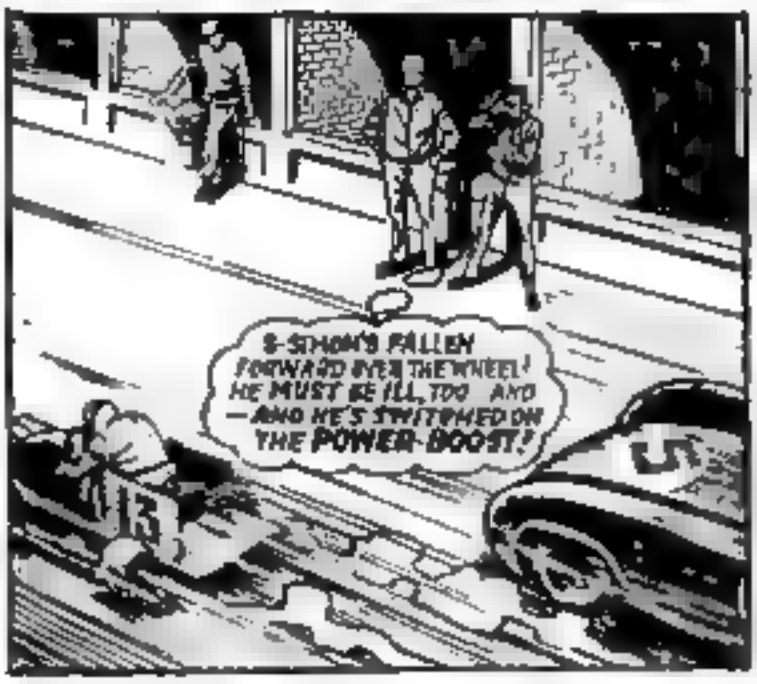
Racing driver Simon Starr and his inventor pal Brainbox Cox reached the finals of the Knock-out Motor-Racing Event. But they were short of money, and Simon took on a newspaper delivery round. Brainbox helped him with an invention—but things started to go wrong very soon . . .

THE SKID KIDS





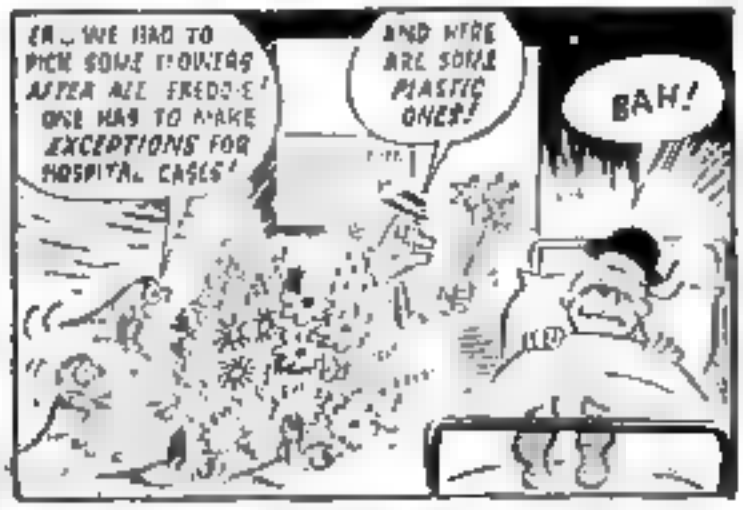




NOW WILL THIS EXCITING RACE FINISH? FIND OUT IN NEXT WEEK'S THRILLING INSTALMENT!

ONE COULD SAY IT SERVES FREDDIE "BLOOMING" WELL RIGHT, WHEN HE SLIPS UP IN HIS FLOWER GARDEN!

FREDDIE 'Parrot-Face' DAVIES



YOU MAY THINK NEXT WEEK'S TALE ABOUT NEW SHOES WILL BE A LOAD OF OLD BOOT, CHUMS!

There's a dangerous animal in every bar

Buy a 6d. bar of Cadbury's and let loose a dangerous animal. Bats that drink blood; giant squids; killer spiders—they're all here.

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More WHIZZWHEEL speed stars

Here they are. 3 fabulous new Corgi models. Every one's packed with super working features. And they've all got Whizzwheels for extra speed. Start racing 'em now!

377 Marcos 3-litre. Bonnet opens to show gleaming V6 engine. Racing trim. Realistic interior. **6/11**

509 Porsche Targa 911S Police Car needs to be fast to catch the Corgi Speed Stars. And it is! The highly-tuned Flat 6 engine lies under the opening boot, the doors open and there's also a warning beacon and loudhailer **9/6**

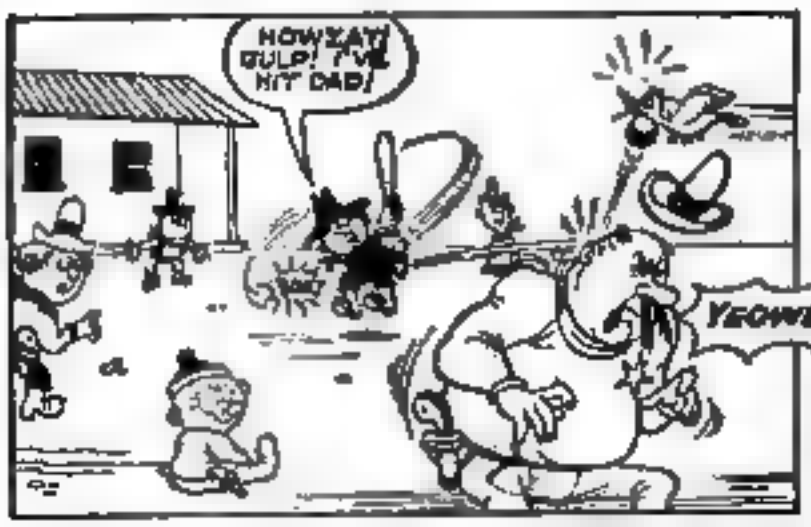
374 Jaguar E type 2+2. Opening bonnet. Detailed straight 6 engine. Opening tail door. Sliding luggage shelf/rear seats. Twin silencer exhaust system **9/6**

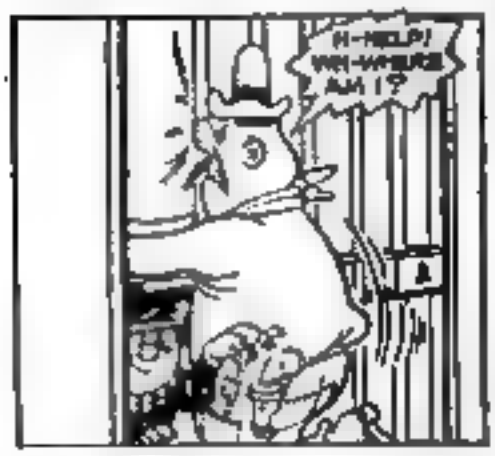
CORGI TOYS

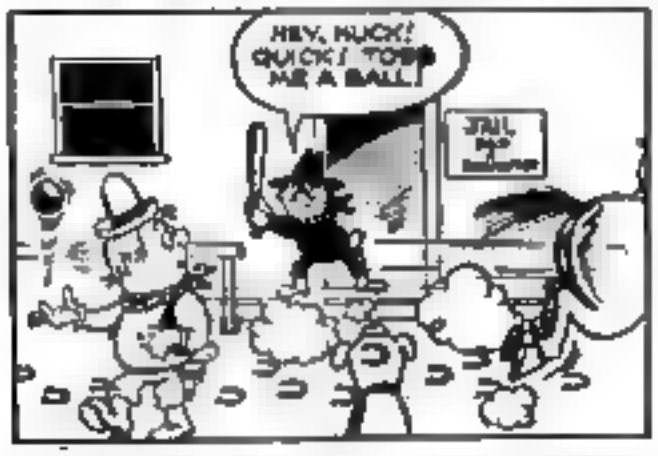
METTOY PLAYCRAFT

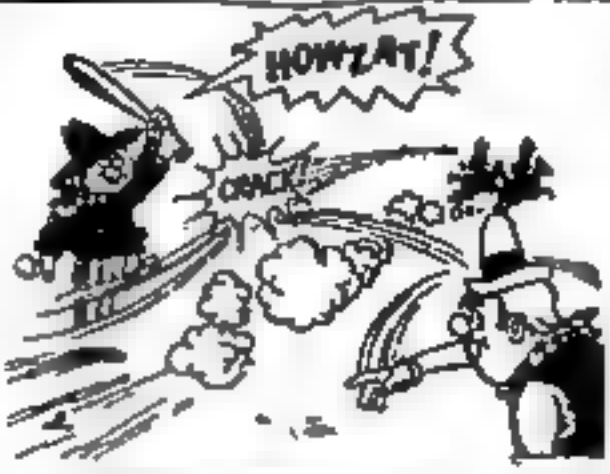
THE PEST SCORES AGAINST SOME OWLHOOTS IN THIS TALE OF A BASEBALL GAME!

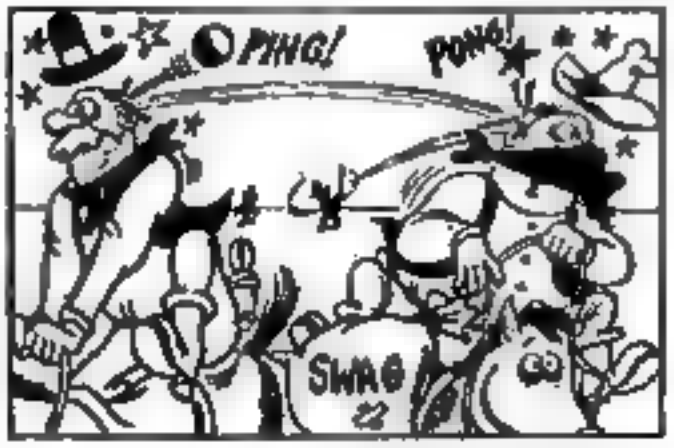
PEST OF THE WEST

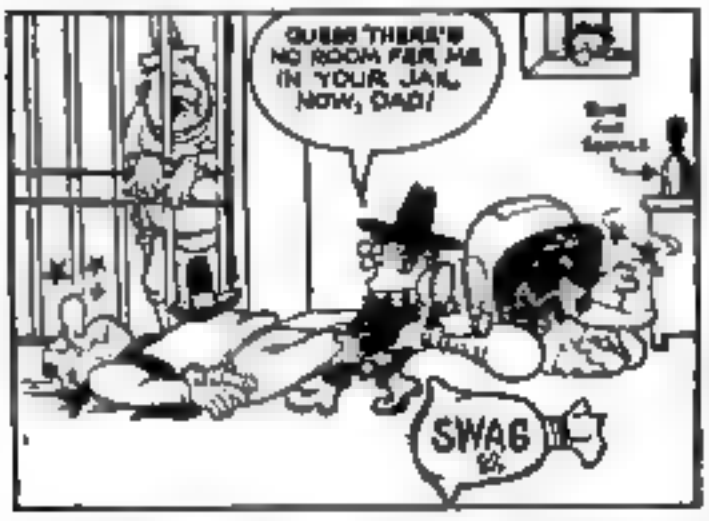


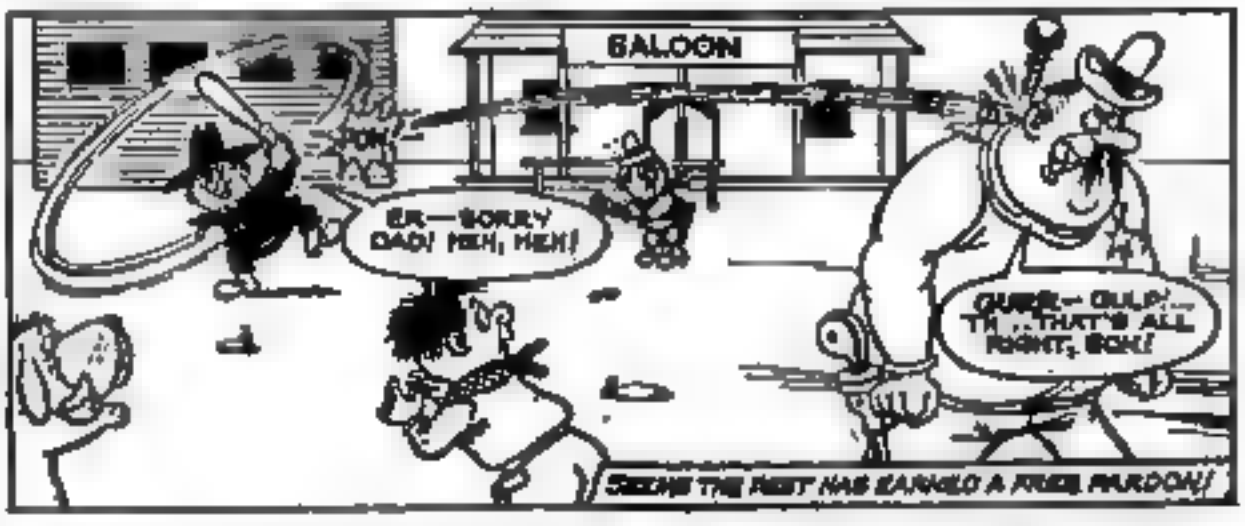












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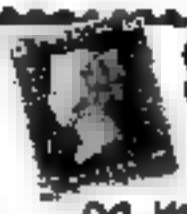

STAMP QUIZ ?

DO YOU KNOW:

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2. Does ICELAND issue stamps?
3. Name any country which has issued TRIANGULAR stamps?
4. What country issues special CHRISTMAS stamps?

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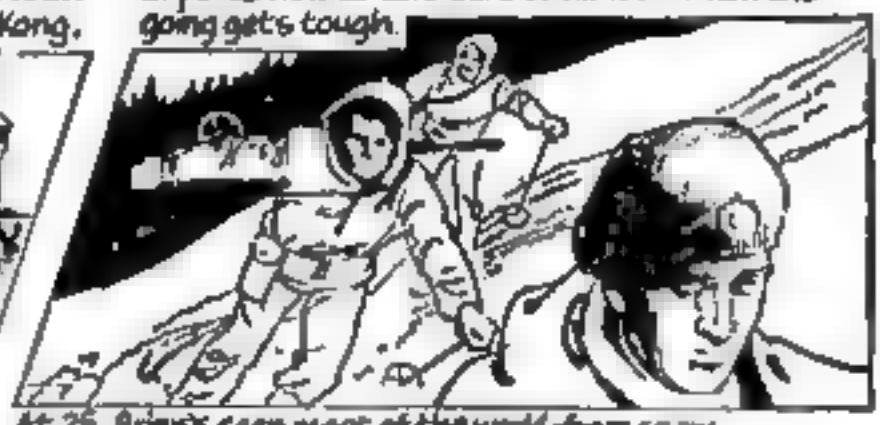
Hunting guerillas in the Far East, his section beats off 3 ambushes. For this Brian was awarded a Mention in Despatches.



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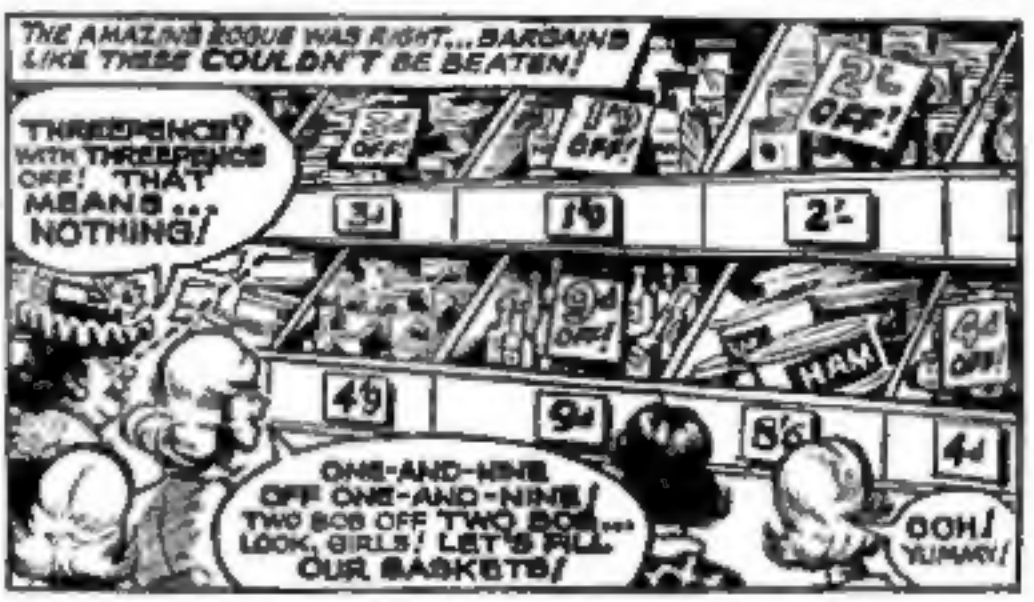
The ASTOUNDING ADVENTURES of Charlie Peace

In the old Victorian days, when Charlie Peace was the most 'Wanted' crook in London, the shops were small, homely places, each selling its own modest line of goods. After being transported in a time-machine to the modern city, Peace found the new shops to be extremely impressive!

PEACE DECIDED TO LET THE SHOPPERS HAVE SOME REAL BARGAINS – FREE GRUB!



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MORE CHUCKLES WITH THE AMAZING ARCH-ROGUE IN NEXT WEEK'S SUPER "BUSTER"!

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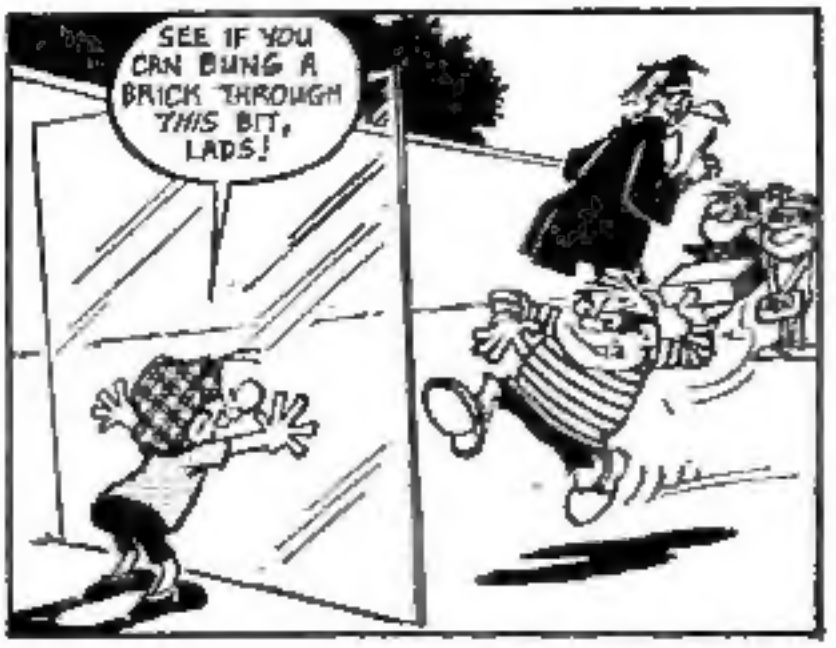

BUSTER'S REALLY UP THE CREEK WITHOUT A PADDLE IN NEXT WEEK'S STEAMBOAT TALE!

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—Saturday, 1st August, 1970.

PLAY ORBIT'S SAVE THE WORLD TRIP

RED PLANET. If you MISS the planet, GO BACK to the square you came from and throw until you land on the Red Planet.

14. Orbit takes off fast due to the Red Planet's thin atmosphere. TAKE EXTRA THROW.

15.

16. You hyp the engine. Stop while all hands watch ship. MISS A THROW.

17.

10. You enter a space-ship graveyard and salvage spares to repair your Atomic drive from hull of an abandoned space ship. GO ON 2.

9. You collide with meteor shower. Your Atomic drive is damaged. GO BACK 4.

7.

18. You find you can jettison extra fuel and supplies not needed to complete the trip. GO ON 2.

21. Your Astro-navigator develops deep space sickness. GO BACK 2.

URGENT INSTRUCTIONS
To all Lyons Maid Orbit Ships
A foreign space disease from the Red Planet has infected the Earth. Supplies of vaccine to kill the infection are only available on the Red Planet itself. While the disease is spreading unchecked throughout the world you are to race with Lyons Maid Orbit to the Red Planet to pick up the vaccine. Will you be the space hero who returns first to save the world! Blast off immediately.

FINISH

Now you've saved the World, take off for your local Lyons Maid shop and get your just reward – a real Orbit. For only 9d., you'll have a cosmic-size lolly with a luscious burst of colourful flavours – to take you out of this world.

23.

An error in navigation forces you to take a detour to avoid the planet Pluto. GO BACK 2.

START

Meal special at point of solid angle, to guide your Orbit to its land. GO ON TO square 26.

24.

Radioactivity from Saturn's rings giving your Orbit a Atomic drive rather lower. GO ON 3.

2.

1.

25. Clear space-scene from Base Station – wiped out by solar blow down to guard yourself on. GO BACK 2.

Any number can play. Cut out the Orbit markers opposite and use a coin to play the game. Throw 1 to start. All ships must land on the Red Planet.

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